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**From:** Judy Hansen/R8/USEPA/US  
**To:** Bill Murray, Steve Wharton, Victor Ketellapper, Rebecca Thomas  
**Cc:** Charlotte Schuster  
**Subject:** Fw: (178181526) On-line FOIA Request

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Please refer to the email below.

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Cc: "Brown, Matthew" <MBrown@ap.org>  
Date: 06/29/2011 02:34 PM  
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Hi Judy/Sonya:

Mr. Brown would like the persons responding to both his FOIAs to call him upon receipt. He has graciously offered to make this as easy as possible for EPA staff. Hopefully someone can call him to discuss his request tomorrow after looking it over. I've asked Mr. Brown to let me know if this occurs, because I'll be out of the office starting 7/1 and won't return until 7/7.

Vicki L. Ferguson  
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From: "Brown, Matthew" <MBrown@ap.org>  
To: Vicki Ferguson/R8/USEPA/US@EPA  
Date: 06/29/2011 02:30 PM  
Subject: RE: (178181526) On-line FOIA Request

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Thanks Vicki. Much appreciated.  
Matt Brown

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-----Original Message-----

From: Ferguson.Vicki@epamail.epa.gov [mailto:Ferguson.Vicki@epamail.epa.gov]  
Sent: Wednesday, June 29, 2011 2:08 PM  
To: Brown, Matthew  
Cc: Archuleta.RickyJ@epamail.epa.gov  
Subject: Fw: (178181526) On-line FOIA Request  
Importance: High

Here's a copy of what you submitted.

I will change the last paragraph to as for "Region 8 staff" instead of "EPA's Washington D.C. Headquarters staff" per our conversation.

Ricky at the Records Center (303-312-6363) is checking on the reading room availability of documents requested in your 2 FOIAs. We should know more tomorrow.

Vicki

----- Forwarded by LindaE Green/DC/USEPA/US on 06/29/2011 09:42 AM -----

From: "idaemon.rtpnc.epa.gov" <idaemon@unixpub.epa.gov>  
To: FOIA HQ@EPA  
Date: 06/28/2011 06:15 PM  
Subject: (178181526) On-line FOIA Request

01\_NAME\_:Matt Brown  
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03\_ADDRESS\_:PO Box 36300  
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10\_SPECIFIC\_INFORMATION\_NEEDED\_:I,m writing to request documents and information related to the EPA,s Superfund cleanup activities in Libby, Montana \_ specifically those agency actions and communications during the period July 1, 2010 through the present date and regarding the removal of potentially contaminated material (bark and wood chips) from an area in Libby designated OU5 and known as the Stimson Mill site.

Pursuant to the federal Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552 I request access to and copies of (electronic if possible) the following materials:

--All emails, correspondence, reports, memos and other communications between the EPA,s regional office and the agency,s Washington, D.C. headquarters concerning the OU5 bark/wood chips --All emails, correspondence, reports, memos and other communications between the EPA,s Washington, D.C. headquarters staff and any other parties inside or outside the agency concerning the OU5 bark/wood chips

Thanks.

Matt Brown

11\_FEE\_:Up to \$25, Required

12\_FEE\_WAIVER:Yes

13\_FeeWaiver\_text:1. It concerns the operations of the EPA, an agency of the U.S. Government 2. The material being gathered would contribute to the understanding of the EPA's operations and activities at the Libby, Mont. Superfund site 3. The material is being gathered for a news story that is likely to contribute to better public understanding of the EPA's operations and activities 4. The AP's reach as a global news gathering organization makes it likely that the disclosure of this information will contribute greatly/significantly to the public understanding of the EPA's operations and activities 5. The AP has not commercial interest at stake 6. The AP's primary interest in disclosure is to contribute to the public's understanding of the EPA and its activities in Libby, MT.

Thanks.

Matt Brown

14\_EXPEDITED\_PROCESSING:Yes

15\_ExpeditedWaiver\_text:As this request is being made for news-gathering purposes \_ in the public interest and concerning a public health risk \_ expedited processing is requested (in whole or for whatever parts of request are deemed worthy) Thanks.

Matt Brown

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